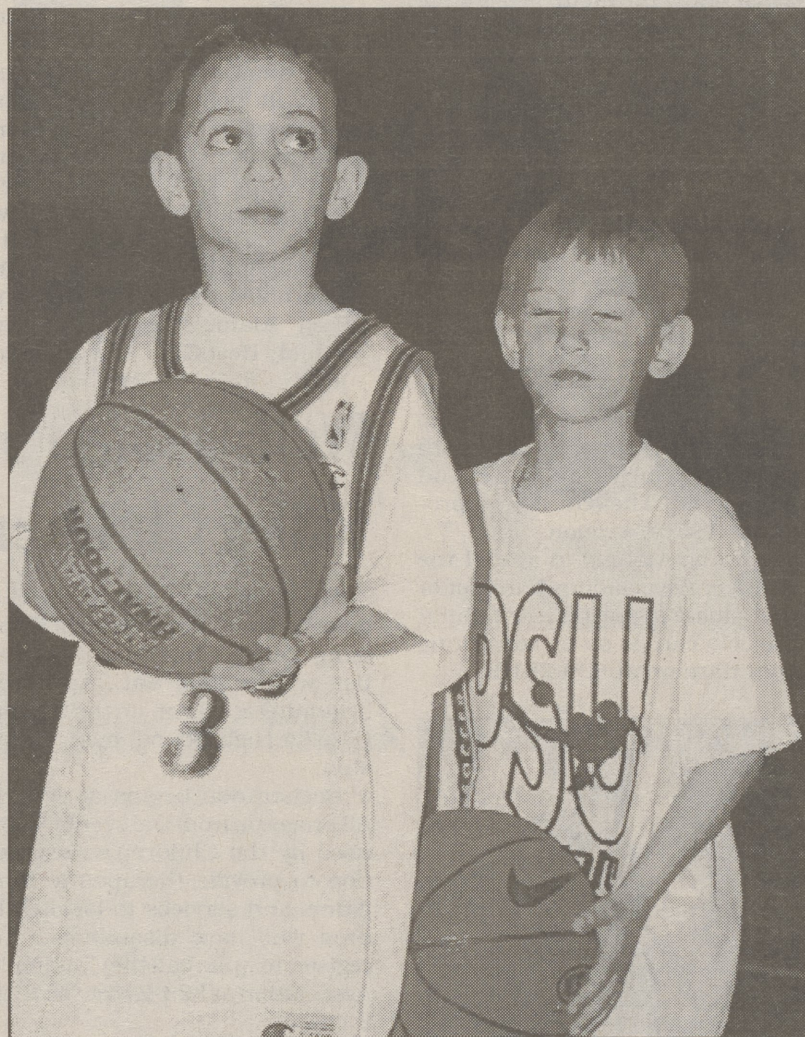


Sports Week

Section 2
March 29, 2000

DYB wins Crossin title

Shannon Thomas led the way for Dallas Youth Basketball with a game high 16 points and was awarded the most valuable player of the Crossin Tournament. Dallas Youth Basketball won the championship with a 44-14 victory over Shanix (WVW). Twelve teams from the valley competed in the tournament. Other members of the winning team scoring were Meredith Lacey 13 points, Jackie Hardwick 8 points, Rosalyn Wentko 6 points and Caitlin Dukas 1 point. Playing a good defensive game for Dallas Youth Basketball were Halli Williams, Ashleigh King, Brooke Blase and Kara Ringler. Dallas Youth Basketball defeated Gate of Heaven 29 to 22 in semi-final action.



Shootout at the ol' Dallas Middle School

The Kingston Twp. Recreation Commission held its 5th annual Basketball Shootout for boys and girls ages 7-16 last week. The event offered free throw and 3-point shooting contests. In photos, clockwise from left: Austin Carr and Hayden Jenkis waited for their turn; Eric Fritzges launched a shot; Allison Evans concentrated, then celebrated a shot that went in. Results were not available in time for this issue.

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SPORTS ROUNDUP

VOLLEYBALL

Dallas 2, Wyoming Area 0

Jeff Levinson assisted on 10 points, while Dave Martin and Chris Organde each had three kills as Dallas swept the Warriors 15-1, 15-6. Neil Pollick had four digs for the Mountaineers.

TENNIS

Dallas 5, Meyers 2

The Dallas Mountaineers tennis team opened its season with a win at Meyers on Wednesday afternoon. Adam Clay (#1), Dan Laurenzi (#3), and Keith Sprau (#4) each won their singles matches in straight sets. All three are juniors and so it was the first varsity singles match for each. Laurenzi and Sprau then combined to take the #1 doubles match and clinch the team victory for Dallas. That match was also a straight set win. Clay and senior Brittany Bartolini won a pro set at #2 doubles to earn the fifth win for the team. The two Meyers wins came in three sets.

Berwick 5, Dallas 2

Berwick defeated Dallas on Thursday to improve to 2-0 on the season. Dallas falls to 1-1 with the loss. Dan Laurenzi and Keith Sprau each won their singles matches to improve to 2-0 on the season individually. After singles the match was tied 2-2, but Berwick swept the doubles competition in defeating the Mountaineers on their home courts.

Youth soccer registration April 8

Back Mountain Youth Soccer will hold registration for the fall semester Saturday, April 8, from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Dallas Middle School Cafeteria. Social Security numbers are needed for all players. Proof of age and Social Security numbers for new players. Players must be 6 years old before August 1, 2000. Single Year Age Groups U9 through U16.

BMT Baseball tryouts April 1

On Saturday, April 1, Back Mountain Baseball will conduct tryouts for all players who are not already members of a major league team and wish to play major or minor league baseball during the 2000 season, but did not attend the March 18 tryout session. American League players may try out at 9 a.m. at the Dallas Middle School gym. National League players may try out at 11 a.m. at the same location.

BMT Baseball meeting April 3

Back Mountain Baseball will conduct a general meeting at 8 p.m. Monday, April 3, at the Dallas American Legion. All managers, coaches, umpires and volunteers are asked to attend.

KT Raiders registration April 8

Kingston Township Raiders Junior Football 2000, will hold second chance registration, Saturday, April 8, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the Shavertown Fire Department, Main St., Shavertown.

Players and cheerleaders may register.

At registration the following is needed for each participant: copy of birth certificate, picture, medical insurance information.

The Raiders consist of three squads: A squad, 12-14 years old; B squad, 10-11 years old; C squad, 8-9 years old.

August 1st is the age cutoff.

L-L Football Club meets March 30

The Lake Lehman Football Club will meet on Thursday, March 30 at Grotto Pizza, Harveys Lake at 7:30 p.m. All Parents of football players and cheerleaders are asked to attend.

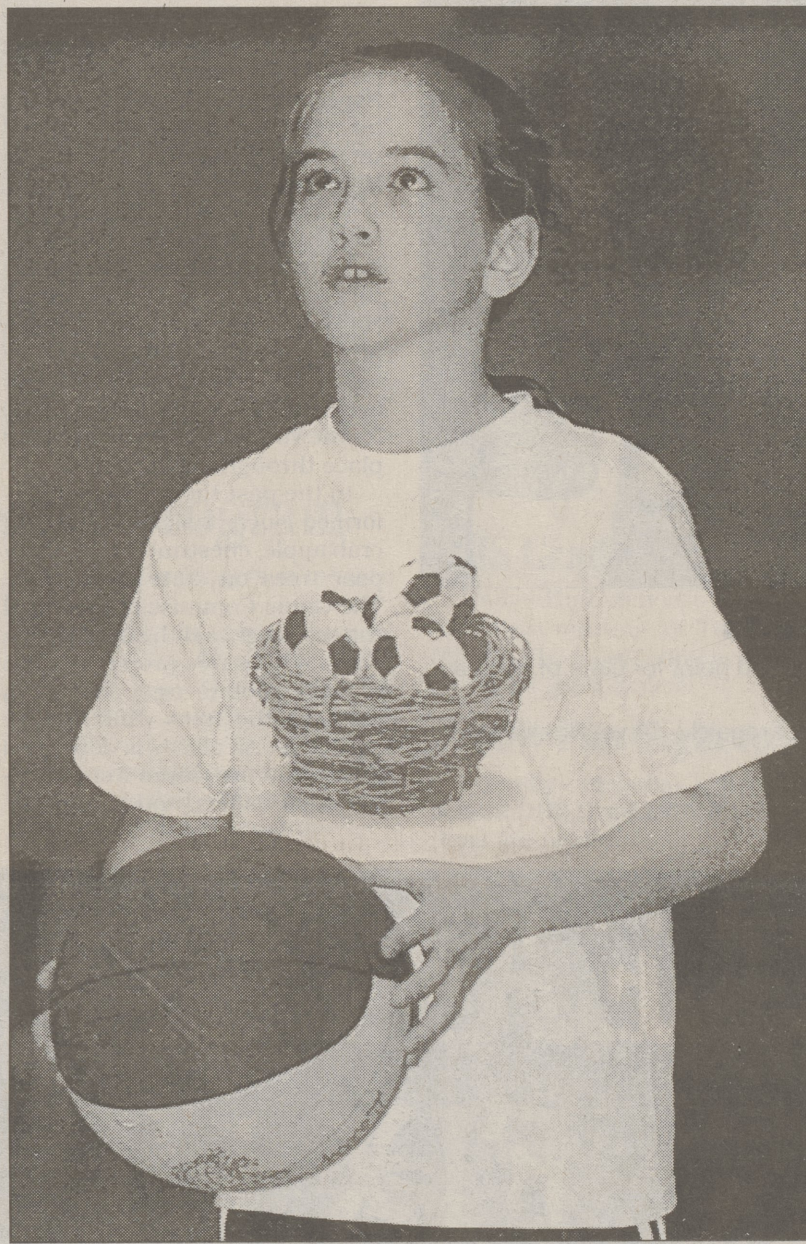
Walk/run April 2

The Jewish Community Center of Wyoming Valley, in conjunction with Bartikowsky Jewelers and Boscov's Department Store, will sponsor the River Street Three Mile Run and Walk Sunday, April 2, at 1 p.m.

First place male and female finishers in the run and walk will receive a watch and trophy, courtesy of Bartikowsky Jewelers and Boscov's Department Store.

Trophies will be presented to all age group finishers in the run and walk; T-shirts will be given to all pre-registered runners and walkers.

For more information or registration, call 824-4646.



Matt Acri announced his intent to attend Shippensburg University. He is seated between his parents, Michael and Debra Moravec. In back row, from left: Bill Silvi, coach; Frank Galicki, principal; Ted Jackson, head coach; John McNeil, coach; Jack Wolensky, athletic director.



Matt Simpson was flanked by his parents, Kathy and Jack. In back row, from left: Bill Silvi, coach; Frank Galicki, principal; Ted Jackson, head coach; John McNeil, coach; Jack Wolensky, athletic director.



Joe Stuppino sat with his sister Francesca, left, father Francesco and mother Maria. In back row, from left: Bill Silvi, coach; Frank Galicki, principal; Ted Jackson, head coach; John McNeil, coach; Jack Wolensky, athletic director.

Graduating Dallas High football players announce choices for college

Three senior members of the Dallas High School football team announced their college choices Monday. Matthew Simpson will be attending Dickinson College in Carlisle this fall, receiving a academic

\$5,000 scholarship. Simpson will study international business. "I've just always been interested in it," he said. Simpson also considered Penn State, Lehigh, Lafayette and Colgate.

Matt Acri will attend Shippensburg. The star running back and cornerback said he is undecided on a major.

Joseph Stuppino, who was a captain on last year's squad, has accepted a package of aid to

attend Iona College in New Rochelle, New York. "Iona was recruiting me since the beginning of the season," Stuppino said. Visits confirmed that it was the right choice. "It made me feel like being here," he said

of the small-town atmosphere. "And I have family and friends there." Stuppino expects to play outside linebacker and defensive end for the Division 1 AA school. He is undecided on a major.

County fish sale orders due by April 12

The Luzerne County District will be holding its Fish Sale again this year. We will be selling Channel Catfish and Lake Colorant with an order deadline of April 12, Largemouth Bass and Minnows with an order deadline of May 26, and Walleye and Yellow Perch with an order deadline of October 6. All orders can be placed at one time. Delivery dates and pick up information will be available on the order form. You can call the District Office at 674-7991 to request an order form or receive additional information.

Gushanas holes ace on 17th at Irem

Mark Gushanas Sr., scored his 4th hole in one at the Irem Temple Country Club, March 25. His ace came on the 150 yd, 17th hole. He used a Ping Eye 6 iron. Witnessing the ace were Harry Williams, Moe Schonfeld and golf professional Paul Roman.



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